



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C. 20535

April 14, 2015

MS. ALEXA O'BRIEN
[REDACTED]

FOIPA Request No.: 1324716-000
Subject: LULZSEC

Dear Ms. O'Brien:

Records responsive to your request were previously processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Enclosed is one CD containing 63 pages of previously-processed documents and a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions. Documents or information originating with other Government agencies originally referred to that agency were not included in this release. This release is being provided to you at no charge.

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Sincerely yours,

David M. Hardy
Section Chief,
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence. FBI/DOJ

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 10/03/2011

To: Albany

From: Albany

Contact: SA [redacted]

Approved By: [redacted] PDS

Drafted By: [redacted]:dia DA

Case ID #: 288A-AL-NEW (pending) 49289-1

Title: ANONYMOUS - HACKTIVISTS;
LULZSEC - HACKTIVISTS;
BACKTRACE SECURITY - HACKTIVISTS;
ET AL - HACKTIVISTS;
COMPUTER INTRUSIONS

Synopsis: [redacted]

NTP-014
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Full Investigation Initiated: 10/03/2011

Details: The Albany division is opening [redacted] to investigate the activities of the captioned hacker groups. Albany has recently opened a CHS who is in a position to provide significant intelligence on the captioned groups.

By way of background, Anonymous is a hacktivist group that originated in 2003 on the 4chan imageboard. In its early days, Anonymous members were a largely decentralized online group acting in a loosely coordinated manner. Starting in 2008, the group became associated with international hacktivism and has claimed responsibility for several computer intrusions and Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) attacks. Some of the more well known victims of attacks attributed to Anonymous include Sony, Church of Scientology, and HBGary Federal.

By way of background, Lulz Security (LulzSec) is a hacktivist group that has claimed responsibility for several

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Re: 288A-AL-NEW, 10/03/2011

computer intrusions and incidents of "doxing". "Doxing" is the practice of releasing personal and confidential information about persons and organizations including contact information, biographical information, usernames, passwords, and other sensitive data. Some of LulzSec's targets have included Sony and various government and law enforcement organizations.

In June 2011, Albany executed arrest and search warrants on an identified LulzSec member [REDACTED]. This individual was residing in Albany's AOR and was actively participating in high profile intrusion activity attributed to LulzSec.

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By way of background, BackTrace Security is a hacker group that spun off of Anonymous because they disagree with the current direction that Anonymous has taken. Backtrace Security does not believe in the political hacktivism activities that Anonymous has claimed responsibility for lately. One of the goals of Backtrace Security is to put an end to the current incarnation of Anonymous. Backtrace Security has also attempted to identify members of LulzSec and shut down their operations.

[REDACTED] has agreed to work with the writer [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] is the second Albany CHS to be opened in the past year that has verified ties to identified hacker groups responsible for criminal computer intrusion activity. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] as deemed appropriate by the case agent.

It is requested that a case be opened and assigned to SA [REDACTED]

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

(07/24/2010)

HEADER

Source ID

Date: 10/07/2011

Case Agent Name:

Field Office/Division: Albany

Squad:

Date of Contact: 10/05/2011

List all present SA
including yourself.
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: e-Mail

Date of Report: 10/05/2011

Substantive Case File Number: 288A-AL-49289

Substantive Case File Number: 803I-AL-48481

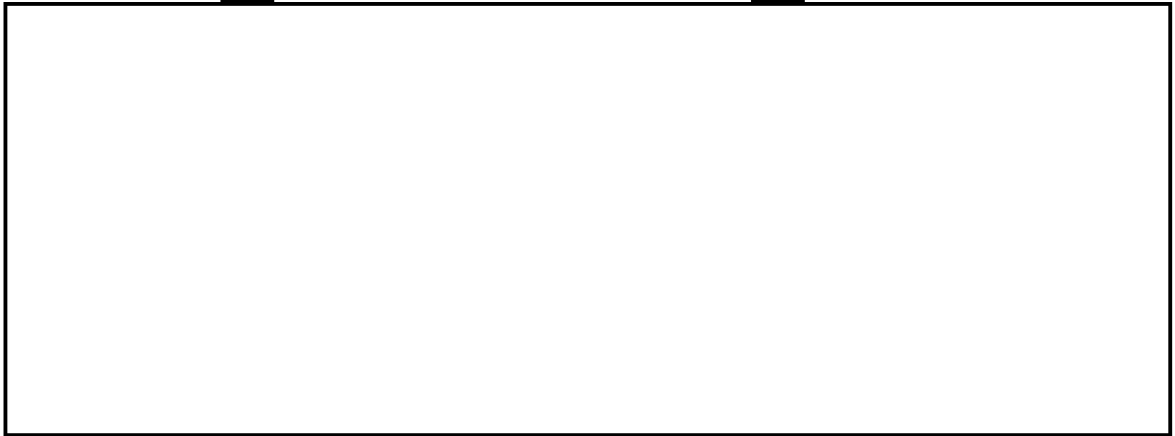
Source Reporting: The following information was provided via email by CHS between 09/20/2011 and 10/05/2011. The information was volunteered by CHS. It was not the result of a tasking. The information was not specifically requested by the handling agent. The information was provided on a confidential basis prior to the admonishment of CHS:

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

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Source ID

Date: **10/07/2011**

Case Agent Name

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad

Date of Contact: **09/22/2011**

List all present SA
including yourself. SA
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **In Person**

Country: **UNITED STATES**

City:

. State:

Date of Report: **09/22/2011**

Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289** -3

Source Reporting: On 09/22/2011, after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, CHS provided the following:

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

(07/24/2010)

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Source ID:

Date: **10/07/2011**

Case Agent Name:

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad:

Date of Contact: **09/29/2011**

List all present SA
including yourself.
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **In Person**

Country: **UNITED STATES**

City:

State:

Date of Report: **09/29/2011**


Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289** - 41



Source Reporting: On 09/29/2011, SA met with CHS at his home. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, CHS provided the following:

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Source ID:

Date: **10/07/2011**

Case Agent Name:

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad:

Date of Contact: **10/06/2011**

List all present SA
including yourself.
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **In Person**

Country: **UNITED STATES**

City:

State:

Date of Report: **10/06/2011**

Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289** -5

Source Reporting: On 10/06/2011, after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, CHS provided the following:



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Source ID:

Date: **11/07/2011**

Case Agent Name:

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad:

Date of Contact: **11/04/2011.**

List all present SA
including yourself.
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **In Person**

Country: **UNITED STATES**

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State


Date of Report: **11/04/2011**


Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289** -b

Source Reporting: On 11/04/2011, CHS provided the following:

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on Monday, November 07, 2011 11:20 AM (Eastern Daylight Time)

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

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Source ID:

Date: **02/08/2012**

Case Agent Name:

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad:

Date of Contact: **02/07/2012**

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the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **In Person**

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Country: **UNITED STATES**

City:

State:

Date of Report: **02/07/2012**


Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289** ⁷

Source Reporting: On 02/07/2012, CHS provided the following:


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on Thursday, February 09, 2012 4:08 PM (Eastern Daylight Time)

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

(07/24/2010)

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Source ID: [REDACTED]

Date: **11/28/2011**

Case Agent Name: [REDACTED]

Field Office/Division: **Albany**

Squad: [REDACTED]

Date of Contact: **11/24/2011**

List all present SA [REDACTED]
including yourself.
(Do not include
the CHS.):

Type of Contact: **e-Mail**

Date of Report: **11/24/2011**

Substantive Case File Number: **288A-AL-49289**
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Source Reporting: On 11/24/2011, CHS emailed SA [REDACTED]

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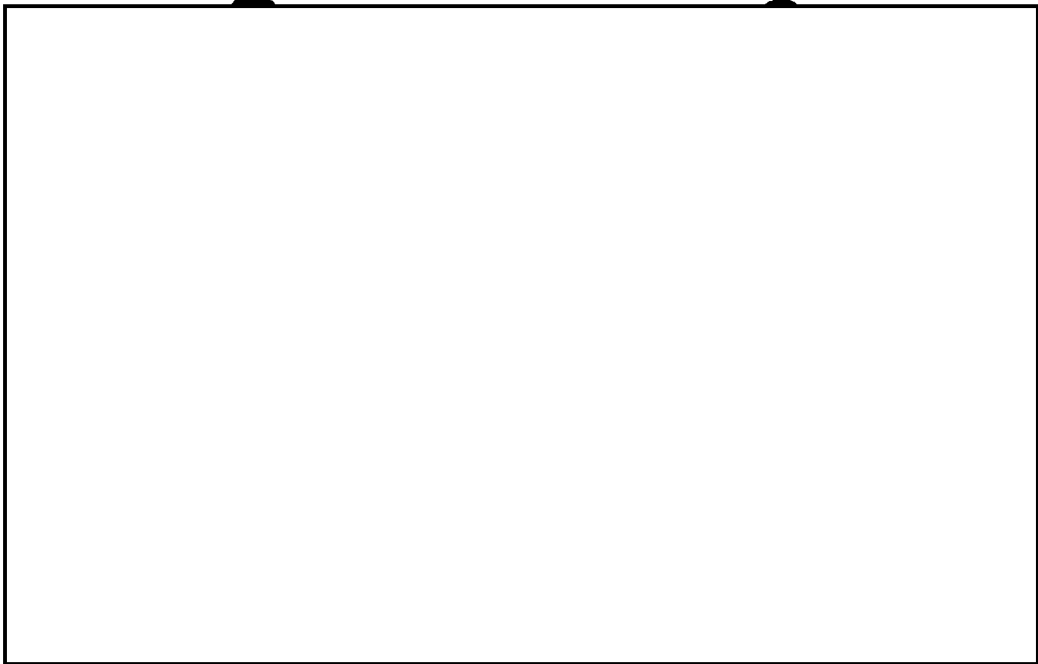
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

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 04/23/2012

To: Cyber

Attn: SA [redacted]

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Attn: SA [redacted]

From: Detroit

Grand Rapids RA/St. Joseph RA

Contact: SA [redacted]

Approved By: [redacted]

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Drafted By: [redacted]

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Case ID #: 288A-DE-106943 (Pending)

Title: UNSUB(S), AKA
Anonymous IRC,
Evil Security,
AntiSec Cutthroat Committee,
DeathToSnitches,
Anonymous,
Cutthroat,
LulzSec,
The LulzKnights;
BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, GOVERNMENT -
COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL MATTER

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Synopsis: EC to open [redacted] for captioned case.

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Enclosure(s): Copy of Berrien County Sheriff's Department report regarding incident number 2012-00004061 with several attachments.

Details: On 04/16/2012, SA [redacted] was contacted regarding captioned matter. Berrien County, Michigan, Sheriff's Department (BCSD) Detective [redacted] provided the details of the incident as well as the printed copy of the defacement of the Berrien County external website. Detective [redacted] explained that hackers had illegally entered the BCSD website and removed files without authorization while defacing the website. A copy of this defacement is attached to this EC. The defacement included the names, AntiseC Cutthroat Committee, #AntiseC, #DeathToSnitches, #Anonymous, #Cutthroat, #LulzSec, The

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FULL INVESTMENT

INITIATED 4-23-12

TO EXPIRE 10-22-12

TO: SA [redacted]

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CAPTION: [redacted]

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To: Cyber From: Detroit
Re: 288A-DE-106943, 04/23/2012

LulzKnights. The defacement also provided links to:
<https://twitter.com/AnonymousIRC> and
<https://twitter.com/EvilSecurity>. Additionally, a BCSD file
listing usernames and passwords for users of the
berriencounty.org website was compromised and taken. Numerous
braggadocios statements were included with anti-government and
anti-law enforcement comments.

Also on 04/16/2012, SA [redacted] and BCSD Detective
[redacted] met with Berrien County [redacted]
[redacted] Michigan
49085, telephone number [redacted]

[redacted] advised that the BCSD
external website was hosted by an outside internet contractor,
E Internet Designs, in Kalamazoo, Michigan. Contact by [redacted]
with this company determined that logs could possibly be obtained
showing Internet Protocol (IP) addresses that accessed the
victimized website around the time of the intrusion.
Additionally, [redacted] advised that an unknown employee account
had been set up in the name [redacted] around the time of the
intrusion. [redacted] believed this to be a fictitious user account
set up with administrative privileges so the hacker could
re-enter the website. [redacted] provided a copy of the user
accounts for the Berrien County website and put an asterisk next
to the name of the fictitious account which was created on
04/15/2012, at 12:16 a.m.

Captioned FBI investigation should be opened to
investigate this matter and determine the perpetrator(s) of this
intrusion and defacement of the Berrien County internet website.
The estimated economic loss will be calculated by [redacted] in
relation to this incident.

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To: Cyber From: Detroit
Re: 288A-DE-106943, 04/23/2012

LEAD(s):

Set Lead 1: (Action)

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AT WASHINGTON DC

For information and whatever action deemed appropriate.

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Berrien County Sheriff Case Report

Summary

Print Date/Time: 04/23/2012 12:25
Login ID: [REDACTED]
Case Number: 2012-00004061

BERRIEN COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: MI1111100

Case

Case Number: 2012-00004061
Location: 919 PORT
ST JOSEPH, MI 49085
Reporting Officer ID: 158 [REDACTED]

Incident Type: Damage to County Property
Occurred From: 04/14/2012 00:00
Occurred Thru: 04/15/2012 00:00
Disposition:
Disposition Date:
Reported Date: 04/17/2012 08:43 Tuesday

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Offenses

No.	Group/ORI	Crime Code	Statute	Description	Counts
1	State	29000	2997	Computer Uses in Commission of	1
2	MI1111100	9939	9939	Computer Forensics Team	1

Subjects

Type	No.	Name	Address	Phone	Race	Sex	DOB/Age
Other	1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		White	Female	
Other	2	E Internet Designs	UNKNOWN KALAMAZOO, MI				
Other	3	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		White	Male	
Victim	1	Berrien County Sheriff's Department	919 PORT ST JOSEPH, MI 49085	(269)983-7141			
Witness	1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		White	Male	

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Arrests

Arrest No.	Name	Address	Date/Time	Type	Age
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Property

Date	Code	Type	Make	Model	Description	Tag No.	Item No.
04/17/2012	Seized	07-Computer Hardware/Softwar e			Lexar USB Drive, model N12610		

Vehicles

No.	Role	Vehicle Type	Year Make	Model	Color	License Plate	State
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ORIGINAL ASSIGNMENT:

On 04/15/12, R/O was contacted by [REDACTED] of the BCSD indicating that unknown individuals had entered onto the Berrien County Sheriff's Dept. website and removed all items that were placed onto the website and replaced those with their own items and also listing numerous e-mails and passwords for county employees.

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CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] OF THE BCSD:

Berrien County Sheriff Case Report

Summary

Print Date/Time: 04/23/2012 12:25
Login ID: [REDACTED]
Case Number: 2012-00004061

BERRIEN COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: MI1111100

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On 04/15/12 at approximately 2100 hours, R/O contacted [REDACTED] via telephone, who indicated to R/O that on this date, he attempted to enter onto the BCSD website, which is identified as www.bcsheriff.org, at which time he observed that the website had been altered and none of the BCSD files could be accessed. It should be noted, [REDACTED] is an administrator for this website and assisted in building this website.

[REDACTED] at this time advised R/O that he began to view items that were listed on the website which neither he nor any employees had posted on there and observed there were several items referring to a group identified as Antisec, along with the group Anonymous.

Additionally, [REDACTED] advised he observed an e-mail list that had been posted on the site which had not been placed there by him or any other person legitimately accessing the site. In reviewing this e-mail list, he found that some of the e-mails contained names, passwords and e-mail addresses for numerous county employees, including judges and prosecutors.

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[REDACTED] advised he did print out what he was able to from the site, which included approximately 40 pages of documents, along with the e-mail list. [REDACTED] indicated to R/O that he immediately contacted a supervisor to bring it to their attention that it appeared that the BCSD site had been accessed illegally and altered and that since that time he has attempted to re-access the site, however, it appears that it had been taken down by either the web page provider, which was identified as E Internet Designs or the Berrien County Computer Services.

[REDACTED] indicated he would forward a copy of the documents that he was able to print off prior to the site being taken off the internet.

REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS FROM [REDACTED]

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On 04/16/12, R/O received a faxed copy of the items printed out by [REDACTED]. In reviewing those items, the first couple items are texts that appear to be items placed onto the site from the individuals that illegally accessed the BCSD website.

At the top, it indicates Antisec Cutthroat Committees.
Below that it indicates Antisec Death to Snitches Anonymous Cutthroat and Lulz Sec

From there, R/O observes there are several sayings in reference to the Antisec fallen friends that possibly had been arrested in reference to what R/O believes is the same type of behavior. Further down on the second page it indicates Welcome to this new addition to the #SSS and (Shoot the Sheriff Sunday) signed by the Lulz Knights.

Below that it indicates bcsheriff.org mail in loot. After that it indicates several websites that individuals can follow the group responsible for this act on the internet. There are two Antisec crew Twitter sites which are identified as <https://twitter.com/anonymoussirc>. The second is <https://twitter.com/evilsecurity> and a chat which is identified as irc.anonops.li/#antisec.

On the next page, R/O observes that the individuals posted the user name for this site as Berrien C, with a password of [REDACTED]. It should be noted, this is, in fact, believed to be the password for accessing the Sheriff's Dept. site, along with the password for E Internet Designs which is the designer of this webpage.

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The next group of files are numerous pages of e-mail user names/user ID's, passwords, and e-mail addresses. There are numerous pages of these which R/O has reviewed and observes that these are Sheriff's Dept./county employees, along with a lawyer group that conducts business through the Berrien County Courts.

On what R/O will refer to as page #16 (which is stamped at the top of the page via a fax machine), R/O observes that at the bottom of this page the last line indicates root+.pts/0 April 14th at 2333 hours 0048 32337 (Antisec). This is believed the approximate time where the illegal access to this site was taking place. The actual start date and time is not

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Login ID: [REDACTED]
Case Number: 2012-00004061
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In further reviewing the items supplied to R/O by [REDACTED] R/O observed on page #25 and #26, several IP addresses that are shown and previous to these IP addresses, it indicates grant all privileges on root@65.183.182.120 along with IP address 99.155.145.32. R/O did check the IP addresses through the on-line search engine Geek Tools and found that the first IP address, being 65.183.182.120, is registered to the Internet service Raser-Tone out of Grand Rapids, MI. The second being 99.155.145.32, is registered to AT&T Internet Services. A copy of those look-ups will be attached to this report.

An additional IP address located by R/O is identified on page #37 of the information supplied by [REDACTED] That again is prefaced by grant all on to root@70.162.93.90 identified by E Internet Design, which appears to be the password for that company. It is spelled as follows: [REDACTED] R/O performed a "who is searched" on the on-line web service Geek Tools and found that the IP address 70.162.93.90 is registered to Cox Communications out of Atlanta, GA. A copy of that look-up will also be attached to this report.

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A copy of the entire information that [REDACTED] supplied to R/O will be attached to this report.

TWITTER AND FACEBOOK SEARCHES:

R/O searched the Twitter account listed on the information that was placed onto the county website and in checking Antisec on Twitter, R/O found that Antisec appears to be associated with Anonymous, along with the Anonirc. R/O does observe some texts that appear to be similar from the Twitter account to the information that was uploaded to the Sheriff's Dept. website which is the saying "we are legion expect us". This is found on page #44 of the items supplied by [REDACTED] [REDACTED] A copy of the Twitter page will be attached to this report also.

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FACEBOOK INFORMATION:

R/O was supplied a copy of a Facebook posting under the URL <https://www.facebook.com/antisecops>. In reviewing the posting on that Facebook account, which appears to have the date of Monday at 4:26 a.m., Antisec shared a link Sunday and for other news for teh shit and giggles a handy defacement: <http://www.bcsheiff.org/bahahahaantis3curityops>. Below that it indicates Berrien County Sheriff's Department www.bcsheiff.org zip tips. There are several comments from people below, which the entire document will be attached to this report for review.

Again, at the back of the Facebook page under the mission statement of antis3curityops the text "we are legion expect us" is also seen on this site as in the information supplied to R/O by [REDACTED] For further details, see the attached Facebook document.

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INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED]

On 04/16/12 R/O, along with S/A [REDACTED] of the FBI, interviewed [REDACTED] in her office at the Berrien County Courthouse. [REDACTED] works in the Computer Services Dept. for the County of Berrien.

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R/O supplied a copy of the information supplied to R/O by [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] and requested she review the e-mail addresses, along with the passwords that were posted on the Sheriff's Dept. website. [REDACTED] advised the R/O that this list appeared to be an older list of persons that had access to the Berrien County e-mail service, which several years ago used to be operated from the Sheriff's Dept. website. [REDACTED] advised R/O that this list is no longer valid and that the e-mail service does not operate out of the Sheriff's Dept. website any longer.

OFFICER NOTE:

R/O did check several of the e-mail and passwords with several employees to determine if these passwords were current and R/O was advised these were older passwords, approximately 4 to 5 years ago, and were no longer valid,

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which is consistent with what [REDACTED] observed from the information supplied to her by R/O.

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[REDACTED] indicated to R/O that the webpage for the Berrien County Sheriff's Office, along with the County of Berrien, are sister pages that are maintained by the web service E Internet Designs and are maintained by that company. At this time R/O was supplied two contact names and numbers being [REDACTED] of E Internet Designs at [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised R/O that once it was discovered that the Sheriff's Dept. webpage had been accessed and changed illegally, she contacted the internet and the webpage was taken out of service. [REDACTED] advised R/O's that she then searched who had accessed the Berrien County site recently and observed a name and date that was somewhat suspicious to her. This was identified as a [REDACTED] who last accessed the website on 04/15/12 at 0016 hours. [REDACTED] advised R/O that she has checked with E-Internet Designs and has determined that [REDACTED] if not an employee of E Internet Designs and is not an employee or valid user from the County of Berrien. [REDACTED] advised she has not deleted this account, however, has changed the password for that user so that he is unable to access that account.

It should be noted, that 04/15/12 at 0016 hours is on or about the time that it appears the illegal access to the website took place.

CONTACT WITH [REDACTED]

While in [REDACTED] office, she made contact with [REDACTED] via telephone and a conference call took place via speaker phone with him.

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[REDACTED] indicated that his company, E Internet Designs was able to capture the log files for the date and time in question and indicated he would supply a copy of all those log files to this department for follow-up investigation. It should be noted, during the conversation with [REDACTED] the actual County of Berrien had also been accessed by the suspects, however, the only defacement that took place on the County of Berrien site was several links were placed onto the webpage which have been since removed by [REDACTED] These web links were similar to those posted on the Sheriff's Dept. site by the suspects.

FILES RECEIVED FROM E INTERNET DESIGNS:

On 04/19/12, R/O received a USB flash drive from E Internet Designs and downloaded that file to R/O's computer. In reviewing those files, R/O reviewed the accessed log file for the approximate date and time that this incident took place, however, was not able to locate any visible suspects from the access log file.

R/O has re-contacted [REDACTED] at E Internet Designs for assistance in going through the remainder of the files which are approximately 10GB in size with one of the E Internet Designs techs to see if any useful information can be obtained from the additional files.

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INFORMATION FROM S/A [REDACTED] OF THE FBI:

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R/O has been in contact with S/A [REDACTED] who took part in the interview with [REDACTED] S/A [REDACTED] indicated that his agency has an open case on the groups Anonymous and Antisec and that his agency would be willing to assist in the investigation of this complaint.

OFFICER'S REMARKS:

During the initial assessment of what the suspects had done on the Berrien County Sheriff's website, it was believed that all files had been removed by the suspects, along with all backup files. However, upon further examination, backup files were located by E Internet Designs and the Berrien County Sheriff's website has been reinstated in full and it does not appear that any of the original files are missing.

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STATUS:

This complaint remains open and under investigation.

Reviewed By

Date

Dispo Code

Date

Assigned To

Date

Routing:

AntiSec Cutthroat Committee

[REDACTED]

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#Antisec

\ — — — — — /
#DeathToSnitches

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#Anonymous

/ — — — — — >
#Cutthroat

| | | | |
#LulzSec

[REDACTED]

#ANTISEC SLAPPING YOUR SECURITY WITH OUR COCKS**

LOVE TO LULZSEC / ANTISEC FALLEN FRIENDS

THOSE WHO TRULY BELIEVED WE COULD MAKE A DIFFERENCE

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Follow the Antisec Crew: <https://twitter.com/AnonymousIRC>

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[REDACTED]

The Unknown

As we know,

There are known knowns.

There are things we know we know.

We also know

There are known unknowns.

That is to say

We know there are some things

We do not know.

But there are also unknown unknowns,

The ones we don't know

We don't know.

D.R. Rumsfeld

(American poet and drag queen)

[REDACTED]

Plain Text? and they call what we do a crime.. nomnomnonmonm

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$hostname_systemDB = "localhost";
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$database_systemDB = "berriencounty_test_org";
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$username_systemDB = "berrienc";
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$password_systemDB = "b3rr13nc";
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$hostname_rsSupport = "localhost";
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$database_rsSupport = "einternetdesign_com";
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$username_rsSupport = "eid_domain_user";
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$password_rsSupport = [REDACTED]
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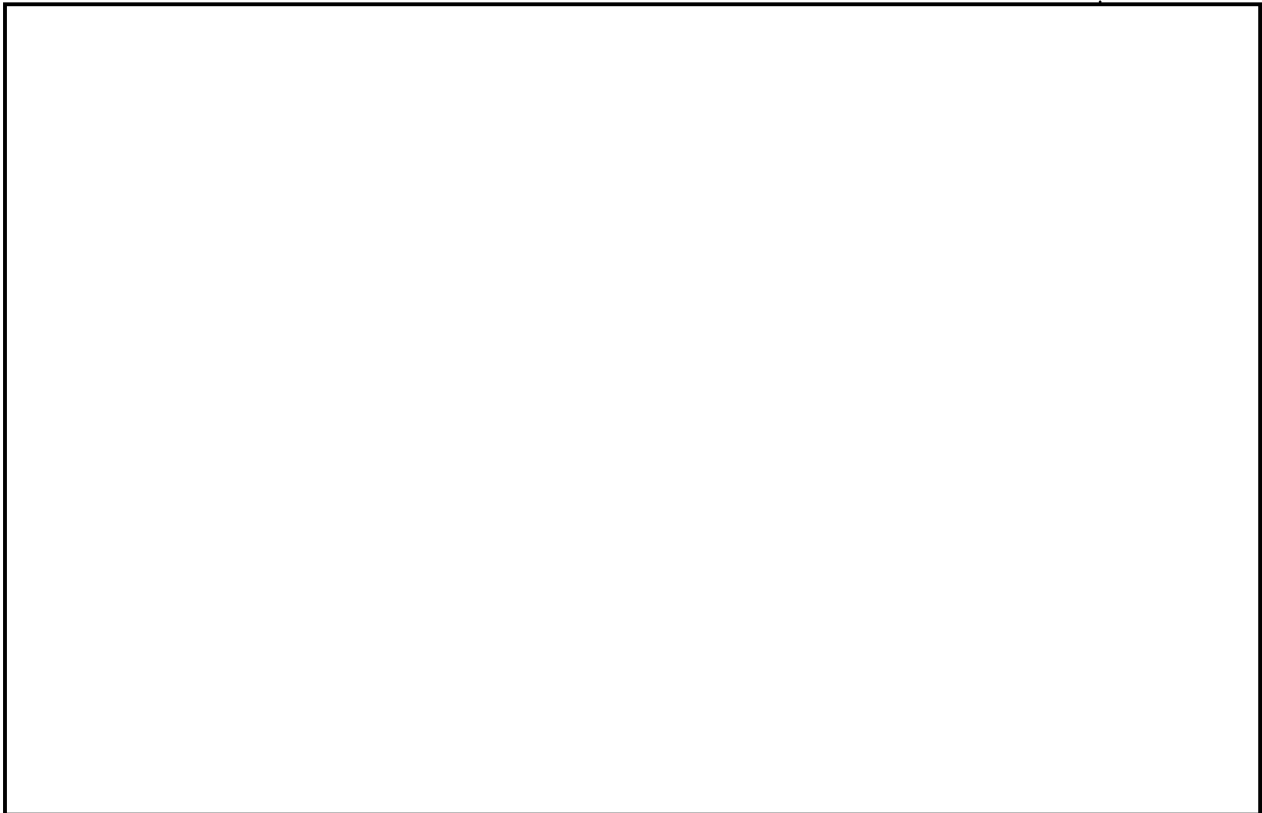


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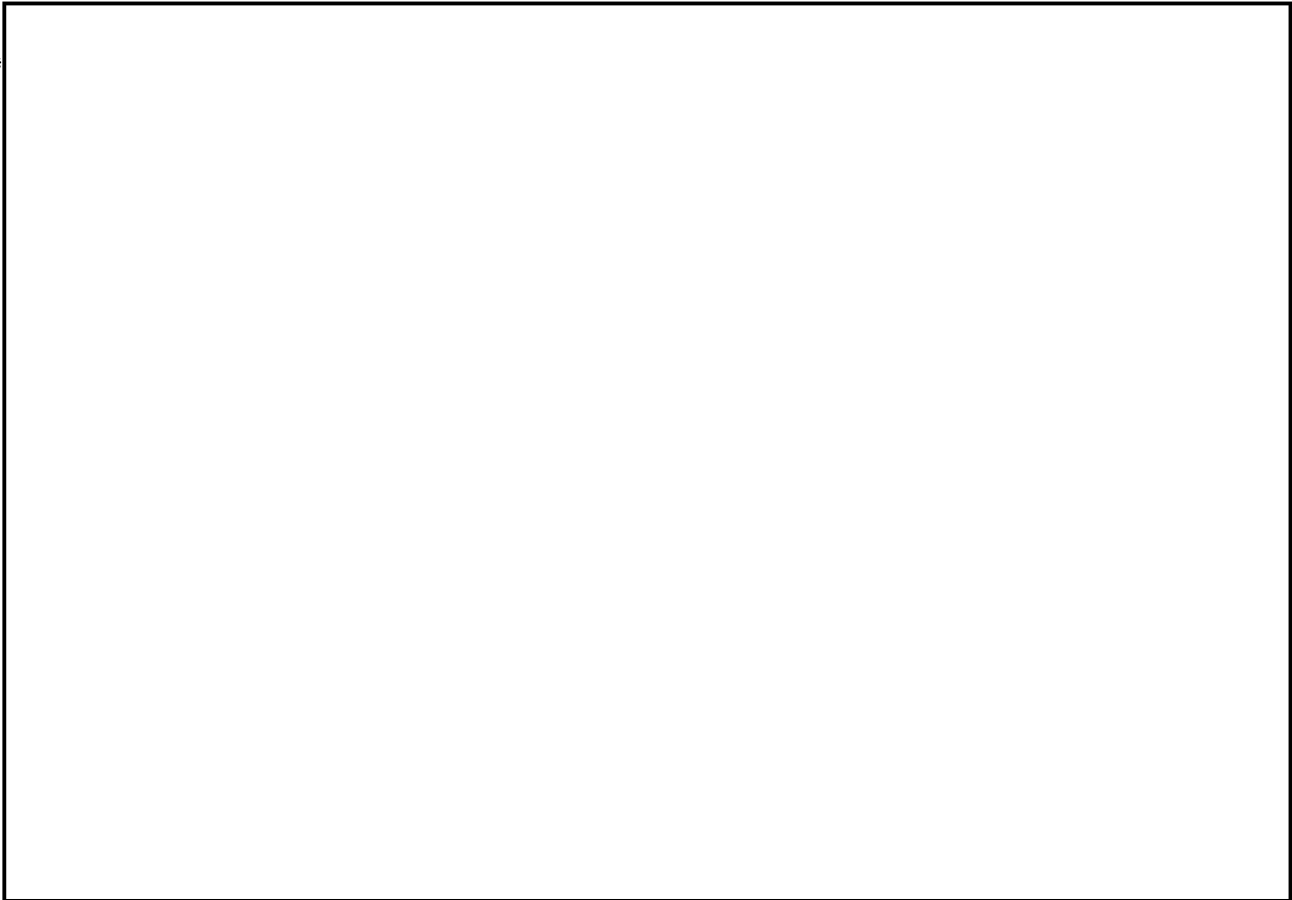


can i haz candiez?

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Expect Us

System Location : User Administration

Employee Name	Last Login	Create Employee
	04/13/2012 15:17	
	04/12/2012 12:57	
	10/20/2011 10:32	
	04/10/2012 16:41	
	03/25/2012 09:34	
	04/10/2012 11:59	
	04/05/2012 11:10	
	03/15/2012 17:01	
	02/24/2012 12:25	
	02/23/2012 14:51	
	02/23/2012 15:23	
	03/25/2012 16:59	
	11/09/2011 13:46	
	04/03/2012 06:32	
	03/30/2012 12:26	
	04/15/2012 00:16	
	04/15/2012 09:00	
	03/01/2012 20:57	
	04/13/2012 10:35	
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	04/12/2012 16:05	
	03/10/2012 16:50	
	04/13/2012 09:36	
	08/20/2011 16:31	
	04/16/2012 13:24	
	04/14/2012 22:33	
	11/08/2011 14:13	
	04/14/2012 22:25	
	04/14/2012 22:44	

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Home TV Connect Account Shop Help | Security

Hi [redacted] Sign Out

Email Usage: 0% of 10 GB

Email Search

Home Email Voice Address Book Calendar Preferences Fw: Anonymous

Folders

Inbox (56)
Sent
Drafts (12)
Spam
Trash
bo
BTCU
ilook
my pics
realtor
travel

New Get Mail Reply Reply to All Forward Delete Move Spam Print

CLOSE Fw: Anonymous

"Anthony V.
+ Add to Adk

Sent By: [redacted] <[redacted]@ic.fbi.gov> On: Apr 04/24/12 10:28 AM

To: [redacted] <[redacted]@comcast.net>

Possible hacker lead.

----- Original Message -----

From: [redacted]
To: [redacted]
Cc: [redacted]
Sent: Thu Apr 19 21:50:42 2012
Subject: Re: Anonymous

SA [redacted] here is what I have from a sub-source:

One of our analysts observed what looks like a dump of data from the Berrien, MI Sherriff's office on Pastebin.

<http://pastebin.com/raw.php?i=bydTpuQ9>


The dump itself hosted at depositfiles.com (
<http://depositfiles.com/files/1s2zz3uvs>) and consists of a ~44m tarball. Purportedly contains public records as well
LE-sensitive info.

----- Original Message -----

From: [redacted]
To: [redacted]
Cc: [redacted]
Sent: Thu Apr 19 21:47:48 2012
Subject: Re: Anonymous

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PROMOTIONS

 Someone
Searched for U?

 "Raspberry Pill
Burns Bodyfat"

Ad Info Ad Feedback

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 05/10/2012

To: Cyber

Attn:

Jacksonville

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International Operations

Attn:

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Eurasia Unit, SSA

From: Bucharest

Contact: ALAT

Approved By:

Drafted By:

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To: Cyber From: Bucharest
Re: 05/10/2012

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To: Cyber From: Bucharest
Re: 05/10/2012

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LEAD(s):

Set Lead 1: (Info)

CYBER

AT CCU-1, DC

Read and clear.

Set Lead 2: (Info)

JACKSONVILLE

AT JACKSONVILLE, FL

Read and clear.

Set Lead 3: (Info)

INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS

AT EURASIA UNIT, DC

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Sent: Thursday, May 10, 2012 3:35 AM
To: [redacted]

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(C) Subject: More Anonymous info [redacted]

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All,

(C) Here's the latest from [redacted] they've been pretty busy. Please note the classification.

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There are a number of new US victims, including .mil, and plans for future targeting, like centcom.mil.
(I'm sure you know people over there [redacted] :-)

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[redacted]
Assistant Legal Attaché
Legat Bucharest (Romania, Moldova)

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Office: [redacted]
Mobile: [redacted]
[redacted] pic.fbi.gov

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From: [redacted] (BO)(FBI)
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 9:53 AM
To: [redacted]

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Cc: [redacted]

Subject: RE: More Anonymous info [redacted]

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From: [redacted] (BO)(FBI)
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 9:53 AM
To: [redacted]

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Cc: [redacted]

(C) Subject: RE: More Anonymous info [redacted]

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From: [redacted]
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 4:10 PM
To: [redacted]

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Cc: [redacted]

(C) Subject: FW: More Anonymous info [redacted]

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(C) Thanks very much [redacted]

[redacted]

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Thanks guys,

[redacted]

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On 08/17/2011, investigating agent electronically emailed
[redacted] an
electronic copy of a Federal Grand Jury Subpoena for [redacted]
[redacted]

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Later the same day, [redacted] electronically replied that
[redacted] had received the aforementioned subpoena.

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J. H. T.

Investigation on 08/17/2011 at Santa Ana, CaliforniaFile # 288A-LA-258335-1

Date dictated _____

by SA [redacted]

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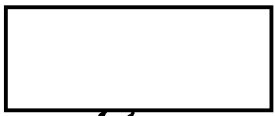
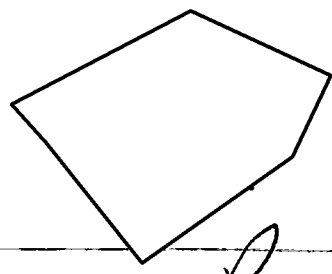
By SA To Be Returned ☐ Yes ☒ NoReceipt Given ☐ Yes ☒ NoGrand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6 (e)
Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure☐ Yes ☒ No

Federal Taxpayer Information (FTI)

☐ Yes ☒ No

Title:

Reference: _____
(Communication Enclosing Material)Description: ☒ Original notes re interview of on 07/26/2011



7 weeks @ one-west bank 7/26/2011

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Received email

- Lutz Sec
- launch DDOS

8/1/2011

for 1 month

to put One-West Bank
"out of busn"

(2nd) - two (2) Internet Point
of Access - [redacted]
[redacted]

(1st) - sequel injection Attacks
to get confidential information

Robo - Signing Scandal
- may be reason

bacteria
or virus

Yahoo acct: arcanobacter7@yahoo.com

[redacted] @ owb.com

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Will redirect DDOS thru Qwest

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 07/26/2011

To: Los Angeles

From: Los Angeles

Squad [redacted]

Contact: SA [redacted]

Approved By: [redacted] *gn*

Drafted By: [redacted]

:jhf *L.H.F.*

Case ID #: *✓*288A-LA-258335 (Pending) - 2

*NTP014
CPI-CRINT-F*

Title: LULZSEC - SUBJECT(S);
ONEWEST BANK - VICTIM
COMPUTER INTRUSION
OO:LA

Synopsis: Request that the captioned matter be opened and assigned to the investigating agent.

Details: On 07/26/2011, writer received information indicating that OneWest Bank was being targeted by LulzSec for a DDoS attack. Additional information indicated that the computer security contact at OneWest Bank was [redacted] at [redacted]

On 07/26/2011, writer telephonically contacted [redacted] [redacted] confirmed that OneWest had received an email, signed by LulzSec. In the email, LulzSec indicated that they intended to launch a month-long DDoS attack against OneWest. Additional information regarding [redacted] interview can be found in an associated FD-302.

Based on the aforementioned information, writer requests that the captioned matter be opened and assigned to the writer.

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Date of transcription 07/27/2011

On 07/26/2011, [redacted] for OneWest Bank, email address of [redacted]@owb.com, business telephone number of [redacted] and cellular telephone number of [redacted] was telephonically contacted at his business telephone number. After being advised of the identity of the investigating agent and the nature of the interview, the following information was provided:

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[redacted] has been working for OneWest for about seven (7) weeks.

[redacted] stated that OneWest had received an email from a group identified as LulzSec. In the email, LulzSec indicated that they were going to launch a month-long DDoS attack against OneWest Bank and try to put OneWest Bank out of business. The email also indicated that the DDoS attack would be launched on 08/01/2011.

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The LulzSec email appears to have originated from a Yahoo account of arcanobacter7@yahoo.com. [redacted] or someone at OneWest had done some research and determined that the word arcanobacter originated from a word describing some type of bacteria or virus.

[redacted] had information indicating that LulzSec would first utilize a sequel injection attack to obtain confidential information from the OneWest Bank computer systems. Next, LulzSec was likely to launch a DDoS attack against OneWest Bank's computer systems.

[redacted] stated that OneWest Bank has computer servers at two (2) primary facilities. One (1) computer facility is located in [redacted] and the second facility is located in [redacted]. [redacted] suspected that the DDoS attack would be launched at one or both of these facilities.

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[redacted] and the OneWest Bank organization have contracted with an Internet security company called Qwest to have Qwest re-direct the large majority of DDoS traffic that LulzSec might direct at OneWest Bank servers.

[redacted] suggested that LulzSec might be targeting OneWest Bank because of OneWest Bank's involvement with the Robo-Signing

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Loan Scandal. OneWest Bank and several other banks had been implicated in the Robo-Signing Loan Scandal. LulzSec might see themselves as a defender of public interest. Hence, LulzSec might see a DDoS attack against OneWest Bank as a means to vindicate those people affected by the Robo-Signing Loan Scandal. was not aware of any other reasons why LulzSec would single out OneWest Bank for a DDoS attack.

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Date of transcription 08/22/2011

On 08/22/2011, investigating agent received information confirming that a copy of a Federal Grand Jury Subpoena for [REDACTED]

at 12:57:52 PDT had been faxed to [REDACTED]

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Date of transcription 07/27/2011

On 07/26/2011, [REDACTED]
for OneWest Bank, business address of 888 East Walnut Street,
Pasadena, California, 91101, email address of
[REDACTED]@owb.com, business telephone number of [REDACTED]
and cellular telephone number of [REDACTED] emailed the
investigating agent the following information:

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[REDACTED] forwarded a copy of the email received from
LULZSEC. The subject of the email referred to "payback for your
banking practices". The body of the email referred to LulzSec
launching a month long DDoS against OneWest Bank to put OneWest out
of business. The email was dated July 19, 2011.

A printout of the email is attached to this document.

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payback for your banking practices

Arcanobacter Hemolyticum [arcanobacter7@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 12:57 PM

To: OWB-CREG-Service [OWB-CREG-Service@owb.com]

come Aug 1, we plan to launch a month long DDOS and put you slimeballs out of business.

HACKERS UNITE !!

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Date of transcription 08/05/2011

On 08/01/2011, [redacted]
for OneWest Bank, business address of 888 East Walnut Street,
Pasadena, California, 91101, email address of [redacted]
[redacted]@owb.com, business telephone number of [redacted]
and cellular telephone number of [redacted] emailed the
investigating agent the following information:

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OneWest Bank employees [redacted]
[redacted] were also
recipients of the email.

In the body of the email, [redacted] noted that there has
been an increase in reconnaissance activities directed at the
OneWest Bank computers. In particular, there have been about 1000
plus reconnaissance probes from Chinese Internet Protocol (IP)
addresses. [redacted] noted that actual DDoS attacks are preceded
by reconnaissance attacks. [redacted] further describes steps that
OneWest Bank is taking to address issues related to a suspected
DDoS attack. Details of these steps are provided in the body of
[redacted] email.

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A printout of the email is attached to this document.

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LulzSec Update

[redacted]@owb.com]

Sent: Monday, August 01, 2011 1:34 PM.

To: [redacted]

Cc: [redacted]

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Hello [redacted]

Just a quick update on where we currently stand:

- 1) We have not seen an increase in unusual activity other than the penetration testing that [redacted] are doing. They started this work last Saturday.
- 2) We have seen an increase in reconnaissance activities, specifically about a 1000 plus probes coming from a Chinese IP address which we are watching, but as yet nothing has materialized. We will have the [redacted]
[redacted] It should be noted that all actual attacks are preceded by reconnaissance attacks
- 3) [redacted] Our target completion date for these remediation activities is COB on Wednesday August 3, 2011
- 4) We are in the process of removing all systems from the [redacted] that do not need to be there
- 5) [redacted] They should have these vulnerabilities remediated by COB on Wednesday August 3, 2011
- 6) We are waiting for a confirmation on the pricing [redacted] and hope to have this information by COB tomorrow, Tuesday. We will then need [redacted] approval to purchase [redacted]
- 7) The network Risk Assessment has been completed and we are focusing on the critical and high risk items first
- 8) The database scanning has been completed and the vulnerabilities have been turned over to the database teams to fix. We have asked the databases team to get back to us with a remediation plan by COB today.
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I will be sending out updates to everyone on a daily basis.

Please let me know if you have any questions

Best regards

[redacted]
One West Bank
888 East Walnut Street
Pasadena, CA 91101

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 12/21/2011

To: Los Angeles

From: Los Angeles

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Contact: SA [REDACTED]

Approved By: [REDACTED] *DM 12/21/11*

Drafted By: [REDACTED]

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Title: VICTIM NOTIFICATION FORM

Synopsis: Victim contact information

Reference: 288A-LA-258335 Serial 1

Details:

VnsCase#: 288A-LA-258335

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CAgtName: [REDACTED]

PContact: Business

BusName : Onewest Bank

BusEIN :

BusAcct :

VicFirN : Security

VicMidN :

VicLastN: Chief

SSAN :

VicDate : 20110726

VicDOD :

VicMinor:

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Addr :

Addr2 :

City :

State : CA

Country : US

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Email :

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To: Los Angeles From: Los Angeles
Re: 288A-LA-258335, 12/21/2011

VWrkAddr: 888 East Walnut St

VWrkadd2:

VWrkCity: Pasadena

VWrkSt : CA

VWrkCtry: US

VWrkZip : 91101

WEmail :

WPhone : 6265354451

WFax :

VicPager:

NOKFirN :

NOKMidN :

NOKLastN:

NOKRel :

NOKAddr :

NOKAddr2:

NOKCity :

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 01/18/2012

To: Los Angeles

From: Los Angeles

Contact: SA [REDACTED]

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Approved By: [REDACTED] *zm 2/8/12*

Drafted By: [REDACTED] *:jhf J.H.T.*

Case ID #: 288A-LA-258335-8 (Pending)

Title: LULZSEC - SUBJECT(S);
ONEWEST BANK - VICTIM
COMPUTER INTRUSION
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Synopsis: Request that captioned investigation be closed administratively.

Details: Writer requests that captioned investigation be closed administratively. Subject(s) threatened to launch a Denial-Of-Service (DDoS) attack against OneWest Bank computers. A DDoS attack was never launched against OneWest Bank's computers and consequently OneWest did not sustain a significant financial loss. Therefore, this investigation does not meet the minimal loss amount guidelines for a Federal violation

Writer has verified that there are no 1B, 1C or 1D items assigned to the captioned investigation. Therefore, there is no need for a disposition of evidence.

Consequently, writer requests that the captioned investigation be closed administratively.

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 06/06/2011

To: Tampa

From: Tampa

Contact: SA [redacted]

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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

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Case ID #: 288A-TP-NEW (Pending)

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Title: LULZSEC - SUBJECT
COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL

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INITIALS

Synopsis: Open and assign case.

Details: Writer has developed CHS [redacted]

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[redacted] internet hacker group LULZSEC. LULZSEC is believed to be a splinter group of Anonymous. Anonymous is a global hacking group which has committed computer intrusions into many U.S. businesses and government groups.

[redacted] is providing significant information on the identity of the members of LULZSEC.

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Writer requests to open and assign case.

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 06/06/2011

To: Cyber

Attn: CCU

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From: Tampa

Squad 8/Cyber

Contact: SA

Approved By:

Drafted By:

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Case ID #: 288A-TP-73999 (Pending) - 2

Title: LULZSEC - SUBJECT
COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL

Synopsis: Request case funds.

Details: Writer requests funds for the support of captioned investigation.

FBI Tampa has developed a CHS who is currently reporting on LULZSEC splinter group of Anonymous.

In order to successfully operate CHS and

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To: Cyber From: Tampa
Re: 288A-TP-73999, 06/06/2011

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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 06/16/2011

To: Cyber

Attn: CCS/CCU

SSA [REDACTED]

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SSA [REDACTED]

Charlotte

Attn: ASAC [REDACTED]

ASAC [REDACTED]

SSA [REDACTED]

New York

Attn: SA [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED]

Tampa

Attn: SA [REDACTED]

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From: Charlotte

Squad 7/Cyber

Contact: SA [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED]

Approved By: [REDACTED]

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Drafted By: [REDACTED]

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Title: [REDACTED]

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COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL
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Synopsis: This Electronic Communication (EC) will document a joint Charlotte, Tampa and New York Division Operation to utilize

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Details: [REDACTED] have been extensively engaged in [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 06/30/2011

✓ **To:** Cyber

Attn: CCS/CCU

SSA [REDACTED]

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SSA [REDACTED]

Charlotte

Attn: ASAC [REDACTED]

ASAC [REDACTED]

SSA [REDACTED]

New York

Attn: SA [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED]

Tampa

Attn: ✓ SA [REDACTED]

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From: Charlotte

CY-1/Cyber

Contact: SA [REDACTED]
SA [REDACTED]

Approved By: [REDACTED]

Drafted By: [REDACTED]

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Title: [REDACTED]

LULZSEC - SUBJECT;
COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL
(288A-TP-73999)

Synopsis: To document the approval of Charlotte and Tampa CHSS
for [REDACTED]

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Reference: [REDACTED]

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CHS REPORTING DOCUMENT

(07/24/2010)

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Date: 06/16/2011

Case Agent Name: [REDACTED]

Field Office/Division: Tampa

Squad: SQUAD EIGHT

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Date of Contact: 06/16/2011

List all present including Writer
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the CHS.):

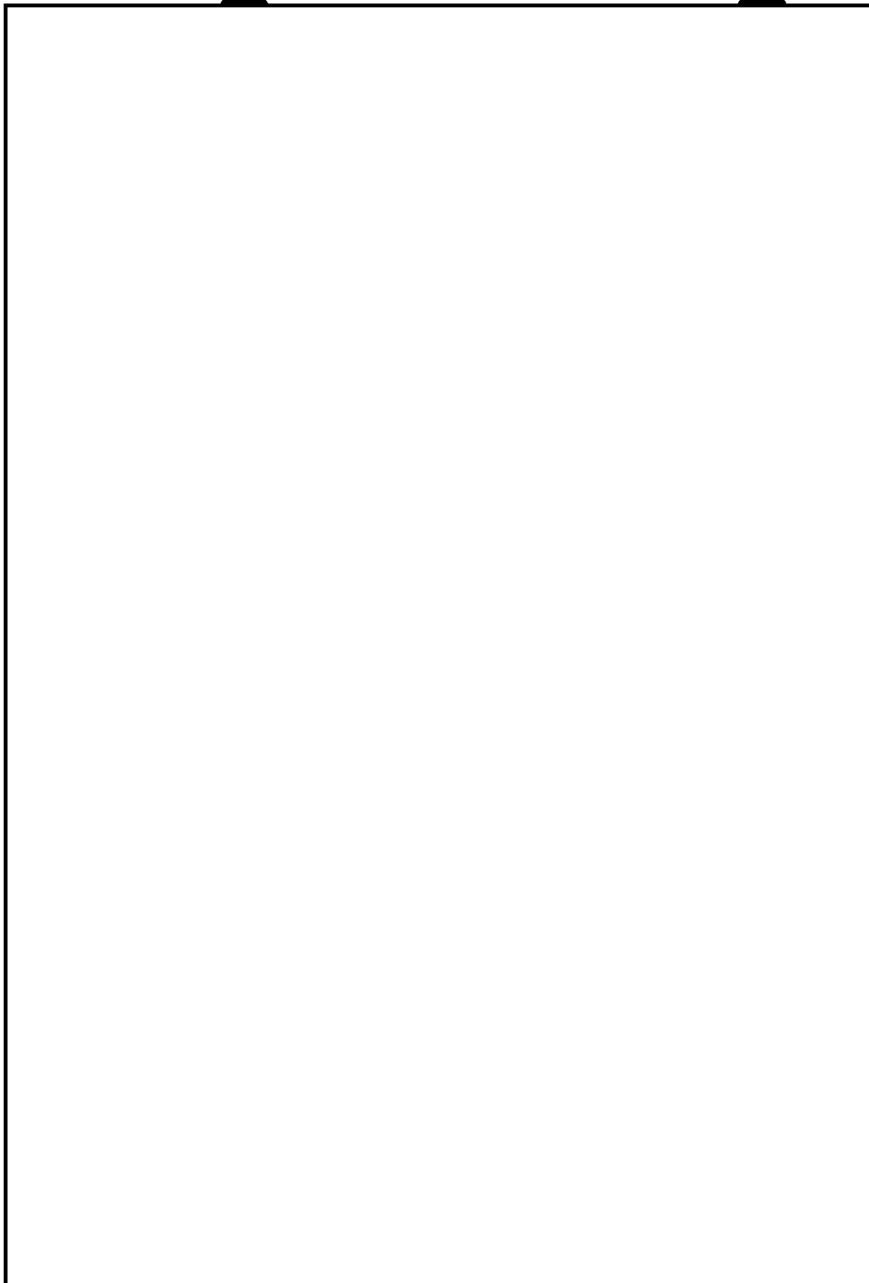
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Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 03/08/2012

To: Tampa

From: Tampa

Squad 8/Cyber

Contact: SA [REDACTED]

Approved By: [REDACTED]

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Drafted By: [REDACTED]

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Title: LULZSEC - SUBJECT
COMPUTER INTRUSION - CRIMINAL

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INITIALS

Synopsis: Close case.

Details: Case was initiated in order to support tasking and operation of CHS and to identify subjects in computer intrusions. CHS was very productive and information provided was used in many other FBI investigations.

No further need exists to operate CHS against LULZSEC. Writer requests to close captioned investigation.

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